

The National Endowment for the Arts is the only funder, public or private, that supports the arts in all 50 states in the United States.

IN THE PAST 5 YEARS...

The National Endowment for the Arts distributed more than **\$6,894,500** in grants in **New Mexico**.



Blue Star Museums. Photo by Debra Huskin

In one year alone...

- Arts and cultural production in New Mexico added **2.8% or \$2.7 billion** to the state's economy.
- New Mexico's arts and cultural industries employed **26,550** workers. These workers earned wages and benefits totaling over **\$1.5 billion**.
- **36.7%** of New Mexico's adults attended live music, theater, or dance performances, while **27.6%** attended art exhibits.



National Endowment for the Arts Programs from FY17-FY19

Blue Star Museums program provided free admission to thousands of active military personnel and their families at **79 participating museums** in New Mexico.

Poetry Out Loud program provided opportunities for over **3,822 students** attending **40 high schools** in New Mexico to appreciate—through study, memorization, and public recitation—great poetry.

The **NEA Big Read** program generated **15** community events focused on reading outstanding American literature and involving more than **2,070** adults and students in New Mexico.

Shakespeare in American Communities program in New Mexico enabled schools to offer children the opportunity to see free live professional performances of Shakespeare.

Creative Forces program is expanding access to creative arts therapies and arts engagement opportunities for injured service members, veterans, and their families and caregivers.

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Projects Funded by the Arts Endowment either Directly or Through its State Arts Agency Partnership Funds Occurred in These and Other Locations

NM-01

Albuquerque Museum Amphitheater
Conservatory of Flamenco Arts
Las Puertas Event Center
National Hispanic Cultural Center
South Broadway Cultural Center

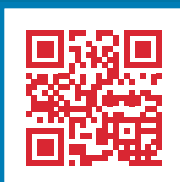
NM-02

Alamo Navajo Wellness Center
Desert Star Elementary
Magdalena School Fine Arts Center
Roswell Community Little Theatre
Tom Lea Institute

NM-03

Acequia Madre Elementary School
Angel Fire Community Center
David Richard Gallery
Espanola Valley Fiber Arts Center
National Dance Institute New Mexico

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